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December 10, 1980

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Dear Senator Danforth:

Thank you for your letter of November 14 on behalf of your constituent [] concerning the disappearance in Argentina of the Pedro Barnech family. B6

Since our last correspondence, the Department of State has not had any additional information concerning the whereabouts and welfare of the Barnech family. We will ask our Embassy in Buenos Aires to continue its efforts on their behalf, with the hope of obtaining some information from the Argentine Government.

Be assured that the human rights situation in Argentina remains an issue of major concern to us, and we take every opportunity to seek improvements in this area.

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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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Sincerely,

J. Brian Atwood
Assistant Secretary
for Congressional Relations

Enclosure:

Correspondence returned.

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